Basell USA Inc. 912 Appleton Road Elkton, Maryland 21921

August 3, 2007

Agent's Telephone No.: 410-996-1750 Agent's Facsimile No.: 410-996-1560 Agent's E-mail: william.reid@basell.com

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on August 3, 2007.

Signature

Date

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office are the following:

- \mathbf{X} Postcard
- \boxtimes Transmittal Letter
- \boxtimes Petition for Extension of Time (2 pages) (in duplicate)
- $|\mathbf{X}|$ Response and Amendment (7 pages)
- X Attachment A – (Claims) (20 pages)
- Attachment B (Marked-Up Copy of Spec) (32 pages) \boxtimes
- Attachment C (Clean Copy of Spec) (32 pages) \mathbf{X}
- Form PTO/SB/30 (Request for Continued Examination (in duplicate) \mathbf{X}

Respectfully submitted,

ROLAND KRATZER ET AL.

Jarrod N. Raphael

Registration No. 55,566

Agent for Applicant

Basell USA Inc. 912 Appleton Road Elkton, Maryland 21921 Date: August 3, 2007